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FM AMEMBASSY PRETORIA

TO SECSTATE WASHDC 3997

INFO AMEMBASSY BLANTYRE

AMCONSUL CAPE TOWN

AMEMBASSY GABORONE

AMEMBASSY KINSHASA

AMEMBASSY LUSAKA

AMEMBASSY MASERU

AMEMBASSY MBABANE

C O N F I D E N T I A L PRETORIA 1114

CAPE TOWN FOR EMBASSY

E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: PLOS, SF

SUBJECT: LOS CONFERENCE

REF: (A) STATE 54588, (B) PRETORIA 1039

1. WE BRIEFED DEPT OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS (UNDER SECRETARY OXLEY AND LAW ADVISER OELOFSEN) ON US POSITIONS ON LOS ISSUES. THEY LISTENED ATTENTIVELY AND WERE GRATEFUL FOR THE INFORMATION BUT MADE SIGNIFICANT SUBSTANTIVE COMMENTS ON ONLY TWO POINTS. ON POLLUTION QUESTIONS SAG STILL FAVORS LARGE ENFORCE-
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MENT ROLE FOR COASTAL STATES BECAUSE OF DANGER TO SA COASTS

FROM HEAVY OIL MOVEMENTS AROUND THE CAPE. ON PROBLEMS OF LAND
LOCKED STATES SA BELIEVES IT HAS POSSIBLY MORE INTEREST THAN
ANY OTHER COASTAL STATE SINCE AT LEAST UNDER SOME DEFINITIONS
SA COULD HAVE OBLIGATIONS NOT ONLY TO BORDERING STATES BUT
ALSO TO STATES AS FAR AFIELD AS ZAMBIA, AND MALAWI.
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